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THE WEEK'S NEWS

Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Casualties and Fires, Personal and Political Notes, Business Failures and Resurrections, Weather Record.

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

An armistice of six hours was declared at Port Arthur in order that the dead and wounded might be cared for. It is hinted in St. Petersburg that the emperor may direct Gen. Stoessel to surrender Port Arthur.

Russia gives up hope for Port Arthur and military officials admit the loss of the fortress is certain if Japanese guns on 203 Metre hill. The fleet is out of service and probably will be sunk.

The capture of 203-metre hill and assault on Khabang and Reckwan forts are said to have cost the Japanese 14,000 men.

Russia is unwilling to join the powers in a second peace conference at The Hague until her war with Japan is closed.

The Japanese have captured and hold 203-metre hill at Port Arthur after a desperate battle on the summit.

THE CHADWICK AFFAIR.

President Beckwith and Cashier Spear, of the failed Citizens' national bank of Overlin, which is a creditor of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick to the extent of \$240,000, have been arrested on federal warrants.

Jacques Krakauer, of New York, filed a petition in inventory bankruptcy against Mrs. C. L. Chadwick in the federal court at Cleveland, O. Krakauer is a dealer in furs and embroidery. He claims \$900 to be due him.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The cruiser Tennessee, the most powerful in the world, was launched in Philadelphia.

A watchman was killed and four horses injured in a fire in a harness house adjoining a St. Louis hospital.

A Missouri Pacific train was wrecked by a broken rail near Holden, Mo., and 45 passengers were injured, ten of them seriously.

In a quarrel at Princeton, Ind., with Carl and John Wilson, coal miners, Clayton West was struck with a brick and instantly killed. The Wilsons were arrested.

A wife's jealousy caused the suicide of Dr. James H. Tucker, a well-known Des Moines, Ia., physician, and Anna Clark, a former domestic at the Tucker home.

Seth Godfrey, Leith Godfrey and Grover E. Els were drowned at Muscatine, Ia., while attempting to cross the Mississippi river. Ice floats drove in their boat.

In a fire which destroyed their home in Pittsburg, Pa., Mrs. Rock Perry and two of her children were burned to death.

Three persons were burned to death in a fire that destroyed a rooming house in Denison, Tex.

A steady rain broke the longest drought in central Kentucky in half a century.

A movement has been started in London to erect an international Shakespeare memorial.

The famine in Ireland grows worse as a result of the failure of the potato crop, and suffering is great.

Grain to the amount of 15,000,000 bushels, sold to easterners, will leave the north Pacific states in the next 60 days.

The National W. C. T. U. convention adopted a resolution protesting against agitation for repeal of the anti-teen law.

The annual report of Secretary of the Navy Merton favors big battleships constructed by private contract and establishment of a government gun factory.

The infant crown prince of Italy was christened with magnificent ceremony at Rome, many notables being present. The annual report of the commissioner of immigration shows marked improvement in the class of foreigners coming in and recommends correction of the evil of contract labor importations.

A large elevator owned by the South Texas Grain company at Houston, Tex., burned, entailing a loss of \$120,000.

A deputy marshal found 38 sticks of dynamite with fuse partly burned at Zeigler, Ill.

Secretary Taft concluded an agreement with Panama as to customs, postal and all other points in dispute and new orders for the regulation of the canal zone have been issued by the war office.

B. S. Wasson, of Chicago, publisher of a railway journal, cut his throat and then asked the attending physician to save his life, but the plea was made in vain.

Gen. Miles' appointment as adjutant general of Massachusetts not only carries a salary of \$3,900, but restores the general to full pay in the army, \$10,500 making his total salary \$14,400.

Russians attempted to retake 203 Metre hill. They assembled a strong force, and assaulted the position, but were repulsed with heavy loss.

Inhabitants of two villages in Gishlinsk district, in Russia, have died of starvation. Famine prevails throughout the district owing to the scarcity of food.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt celebrated the eighteenth anniversary of their marriage in a quiet manner at the White house. They were the recipients of congratulatory messages and letters from all parts of the country.

Trains on the Pennsylvania road collided at a siding near Columbus, Ind. Four men were killed.

By the explosion of a gas plant in the cellar of their home, Matthias Haines and his wife, of Mexico, Mo., were burned to death.

The fifth trial of A. A. Amer, charged with taking a bribe of \$20,000 from a woman of the town while mayor of Minneapolis, is now in progress before Judge Elliott.

The president informed a delegation that he saw no way by which he properly or legally could interfere to bring about a settlement of the strike of the union employees of the Carnegie Steel company of Youngstown and Girard, O.

Dr. H. T. Bridgman and Irvin Clegg, of Bridgman, were killed at a grade crossing west of Stevensville, Mich., Friday by a Pere Marquette train.

Reports from all over the state of Ohio show that the young wheat is badly damaged by the drought. It has been stunted in its growth and with winter at hand the farmers and grain dealers say the outlook in the most disappointing for years.

Chambers F. Black, former lieutenant governor of Pennsylvania, and a leader of the democratic party, died at Brookline, his suburban home near New York, Pa.

Fred Waprock, who 15 years ago served a term in prison for the daring robbery of an express car on the Erie road of \$121,000, died at Leavenworth, Kan.

Because of the establishment of rural free delivery routes the post office department reports show a deficiency of 92.5 per cent over the previous fiscal year.

Trade developments of the week are reported as favorable.

The report of the United States mint shows that a new coinage record has been made.

Mrs. Gilbert, the famous actress, died suddenly at the Sherman house, in Chicago, succumbing to cerebral hemorrhage. Her death brings her company's season to a close.

Fire started by incendiaries at the world's fair grounds in St. Louis, burned Quo Vadis, Fair Japan, Old St. Louis, and the Bowery Pike concessions. The loss is \$80,000. Two lives are reported lost.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, in his annual report, tells of year's progress on the farms of the nation. He shows that the main crops of the United States for the last year are worth \$3,583,339,609.

William Davis and wife, charged with the murder of Jacob H. Effertz, of Chicago, at Wilders, Ind., were held in \$5,000 each for grand jury action, and on default of bail were committed to jail.

The inauguration of Gen. Porfirio Diaz as president of the republic of Mexico for the seventh time and of Senor Don Ramon Corral as the first vice president took place in the city of Mexico.

President Roosevelt is said by the Washington correspondent of the New York Herald to have about decided to abandon hope of tariff revision for at least a year. The sentiment of leaders is found to oppose a change.

The wives of army and navy officers are to present a petition asking the restoration of the canteen to congress, where it will be met by a counter petition from the W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. in convention in Philadelphia, requested the president to issue that treaties prohibiting the sale of liquor be observed in granting statehood rights to Indian territory.

Queen Alexandra of England observed her sixtieth birthday anniversary.

David M. Parry, Indianapolis, was re-elected president of the Citizens' Industrial association.

The Louisiana Purchase exposition closed in a scene of pandemonium on the Pike following a day and evening of celebration in which St. Louis showered honors and gifts upon President Francis, the head of the enterprise. The total attendance during the fair was about 18,000,000.

Forty-two hunters were killed and 19 wounded in the open season in the north woods of Wisconsin and upper Michigan which has just closed. The number of deer killed is estimated at 4,000.

Jacob Moore, a merchant of Mount Auburn, Ind., was killed by John Hash, aged 17. Hash claims Moore attacked him while under the influence of liquor and that he shot in self-defense.

Rev. William T. Manning, D. D., vicar of St. Agnes chapel, Trinity parish, New York city, was elected first bishop of the newly organized Episcopal diocese of Harrisburg.

Rear Admiral Charles H. Davis has been appointed by the president on the Dogger Bank court of inquiry. He has accepted the appointment.

The strike of coal miners in the Massillon, O., district, in which 1,000 men have been involved, was settled, the employers granting a concession of two cents more per ton for loading.

Three deaths resulted from the explosion and fire at the Swiss laundry in New Orleans, La. The victims are young girls.

Receipts of the internal revenue bureau for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1904, were \$232,304,004, an increase of \$2,162,979 over the collections for the year preceding.

The four states having the largest production of distilled spirits during the year ending June 30, 1904, are Illinois, 4,175,559 gallons; Kentucky, 2,979,162 gallons; Indiana, 2,937,858 gallons; Ohio, 1,717,537 gallons.

A verdict for \$10,000 damages has been awarded in the New York supreme court to Mrs. Anna Merckard, wife of a Staten Island physician, who was killed a year ago in the cellar of his home by an electric shock.

Joseph Leiter was indicted at Duquoin, Ill., on three counts on the charge of bringing armed men into the state contrary to the recently passed statutes.

One man was killed and three fatally injured in an explosion at Goss, O. A press mill of the Miami powder works exploded with several thousand pounds of powder, destroying the building.

The American White Cross First Aid society, intended to supplant the Red Cross in America, has been organized in Chicago and embraces physicians of the highest note and Miss Clara Barton, founder of the older organization.

Mrs. Richard Yates was burned while driving in Springfield, Ill., hot bricks in the carriage setting fire to her skirts. The governor smothered the blaze with his overcoat before she was seriously injured.

The city council is preparing to rid Chicago of the deadly grade crossing, the work already done in this direction having cost more than \$27,000,000 and the expense of other improvements swelling the total to more than \$55,000,000.

"Batling" Nelson and Jimmy Britt are matched to box December 26 in San Francisco.

The Citizens' Industrial association in convention in New York adopted resolutions urging the state to establish artesian schools as a part of a plan for combating labor unions.

Peter Nissen, who started from Chicago across Lake Michigan in his boat, called the "Foot Killer No. 3," was found dead on the beach two and a half miles west of Stevensville, Mich. When the wrecked aquatic balloon was towed ashore it was found a note written by him saying an air hose upon which he depended to renew his supply of air had broken and that he was doomed to die of suffocation.

During the year ended June 30, 1904, members of life-saving crews rendered assistance to 1,061 vessels, involving 3,328 lives, of whom a total of 34 were lost.

Miss Nancy Carver Leiter, the second daughter of the late Levi Z. Leiter, of Chicago, and Maj. Colin Powys Campbell, of the British army, were married in Washington.

Gov. Mickey, of Nebraska, has offered a reward of \$200 for the apprehension of the slayer of Lulu Johnson, who was shot and instantly killed on the night of October 29, near Valentine, Neb.

The final hearing by the interstate commerce commission in the matter of the complaint of William H. Hearst against the coal carrying roads was begun in Washington.

The will of Richard M. Scruggs, a prominent merchant and philanthropist, who died in St. Louis recently, provides for the distribution of \$147,500 among religious institutions.

More Italians are returning to Italy at the present time than ever before, according to statements issued by the various steamship companies whose boats run from New York city to Italian ports.

The official vote of Iowa in the recent election gives Roosevelt, 307,307; Parker, 149,141; Swallow, 11,601; Dehn, 14,847; Watson, 2,207. Roosevelt's plurality over Parker is 158,166.

NEWS FROM MISSOURI.

T. W. Brower, a farmer near West Plains, committed suicide, his wife finding his body in bed.

The Chrisman-Sawyer Banking company at Independence, one of the oldest banking houses in Missouri, has been sold to new parties.

A controversy between the city officials of Columbia and the officers of Missouri state university over the grading of a street near the university grounds, resulted in the arrest of President R. H. Jesse.

Mrs. Kate Brasfield committed suicide by drinking arsenic at Platte City. Mrs. Brasfield was a widow and one of the wealthiest residents of Platte City. She had been sick for more than a year and had become despondent.

The Third Baptist church in St. Louis, of which Rev. W. J. Williamson is pastor, raised \$12,000 in an hour on a recent Sunday to liquidate its indebtedness. Rev. Williamson's salary was increased from \$3,000 to \$4,200 a year.

Gov. Dockery appointed E. S. Garver, of Grant City, special commissioner to prepare an exhibit of the resources of the state of Missouri for the Lewis and Clark Centennial exposition in Portland, Ore., from May 1 to November 1, 1905.

The Missouri book, that famous creation of the department of publicity of the Missouri commission to the world's fair, has finally come in for its just reward. It has been awarded a grand prize. Its author, Walter Williams, will receive a gold medal.

Miss May Butler, of Mexico, died of emphysema contracted from nursing the family of R. S. McKinney, five of whom were suffering from the disease. Miss Butler volunteered her services as a nurse when the family was first stricken. Her painstaking care is responsible for the recovery of her patients, but her own life was forfeited.

Gov. Dockery has appointed J. H. Centers, a well-known merchant of Neesho, circuit clerk of Newton county, to fill the unexpired term of C. A. Stinnett, whose resignation was forwarded to the governor. Mr. Centers was one of Stinnett's bondsmen and, owing to financial difficulties, took charge of the office some time ago. Stinnett has left the county and it is said his whereabouts are unknown.

If the claims of the state organization of homeopathic physicians are true, a very important factor in the recent election has been entirely overlooked by politicians and political writers, who have endeavored to account for Mr. Folk's signal victory at the polls. It is claimed by the homeopathic organization that they control from 25,000 to 30,000 votes and did control at least 25,000 or 30,000 votes in the recent election in behalf of Mr. Folk. That is to say, 25,000 or 30,000 votes were influenced by the homeopathic organization to vote for Mr. Folk.

A novel method of distributing post office patronage has been adopted by Congressman-elect Shartel, of the Fifteenth district. Mr. Shartel will let the people say in primaries who shall be their postmasters. He has announced that he will not interfere in any way with the appointments of postmasters in the district in cities and towns where the occupant is named by the president, but will rely entirely upon the judgment and decision of the republicans, democrats and other partisans who are residents of these places.

In attempting to cross the railroad tracks at Wellsville a wagon driven by A. Minter and occupied by Mrs. Oswin Maupin, Mrs. C. Clement and two children of the latter, was crashed into by a fast Wabash passenger train. The vehicle was wrecked, the team killed and the occupants hurled helter-skelter. The driver and children were only slightly bruised, but the injuries to Mrs. Maupin and Mrs. Clement are regarded as likely to prove fatal. They are the wives of prominent farmers. Minter, who was driving the team, says that he did not notice the train's approach until too late to avoid the accident.

Because his sense of honor would not permit him to leave his bondsmen in the lurch, Harry Vaughn, charged with burglary and larceny, returned voluntarily for trial in the criminal court at St. Joseph. He escaped from the police holdover three weeks ago by prying back a bar over the cell door and crawling out while half a dozen officers were supposed to be watching. He had been arrested on the charge of stealing ammunition and rifles from company K armory, while the criminal court charge was that of robbing a grocery store. It was on this charge that he had given bond. Vaughn is only 15 years old, and said he intended all the time to return for trial. He declined to say where he was while at liberty. On a plea of guilty he was given three years in the reform school.

MISSOURI LEGISLATURE.

A Roster Which Shows Members of the Forty-Third General Assembly.

Those marked with a star were re-elected as members of the general assembly, but not in each instance to the body in which they served during the last session. Those marked with a "dag" have served in former sessions of the assembly.

SENATE.

Dist.	Name.	Occupation.
1st	Joshua W. Peck, R. Banker.	
2nd	Lawrence A. Vories, D. Merchant.	
3rd	T. J. Wornall, D. Farmer.	
4th	Vancary.	
5th	S. T. Gilmer, R. Lawyer.	
6th	Emmett B. Fields, D. Lawyer.	
7th	C. W. Clarke, R. Lawyer.	
8th	John F. Barton, D. Lawyer.	
9th	G. W. Humphrey, D. Lawyer.	
10th	Charles J. Walker, D. Lawyer.	
11th	T. O. H. Avery, D. Lawyer.	
12th	E. A. Dowell, D. Lawyer.	
13th	E. W. McAllister, D. Lawyer.	
14th	T. J. Buchanan, D. Merchant.	
15th	D. D. Hicks, R. Retired.	
16th	C. C. Dickinson, D. Lawyer.	
17th	Robert H. Brown, D. Farmer.	
18th	A. R. McNatt, D. Farmer-Banker.	
19th	George H. Curry, D. Farmer.	
20th	Frank H. McDavid, D. Lawyer.	
21st	T. R. R. Ely, D. Lawyer.	
22nd	John D. Young, R. Lawyer.	
23rd	Joseph W. Farris, D. Lawyer.	
24th	Frank H. Farris, D. Lawyer.	
25th	A. E. L. Gardner, R. Lawyer.	
26th	John L. Bradley, D. Retired.	
27th	Frank DeVillars, D. Physician.	
28th	Hugh McIndoe, R. Lawyer.	
29th	E. H. Baumann, R. Salesman.	
30th	John Sartorius, D. Lawyer.	
31st	T. R. Kinney, D. Member house of delegates-saloon.	
32nd	David Nelson, D. Lawyer.	
33rd	G. W. Reichmann, R. Saloon.	
34th	G. W. Kincaid, D. Promoter.	

HOUSE.

Counties.	Name.	Occupation.
Adair	E. M. Harrington, R. Lawyer.	
Andrew	Walter Moore, R. Merchant.	
Atchison	James M. Starnum, R. Farmer.	
Audrain	Walter Birch, D. Lawyer.	
Barry	Chris. D. Kelley, R. Physician.	
Barren	W. R. Crowther, D. Farmer.	
Barton	George Church, R. Farmer.	
Benton	Jonathan Auerbach, R. Farmer.	
Bollinger	Thos. W. Cooper, R. Preacher.	
Boone	James C. Gillespy, D. Lawyer.	
Buchanan		
1st Dist.	Joseph Albans, R. Clerk.	
2d Dist.	John L. Rittinger, R. Editor.	
3d Dist.	Wm. S. Chace, R. Teacher.	
4th Dist.	Charles H. Watts, R. Commission Merchant.	
5th Dist.	David W. Hill, R. Lawyer.	
6th Dist.	Willard F. Blair, R. Farmer.	
7th Dist.	Robert S. Lecher, D. Farmer.	
8th Dist.	E. M. Kirkham, R. Salesman.	
9th Dist.	Geor. DeLoach, F. E. Kies, R. Editor.	
10th Dist.	Newton Condit, D. Lawyer.	
11th Dist.	M. C. Harris, D. Editor.	
12th Dist.	W. P. Houston, D. Lawyer.	
13th Dist.	W. M. Galloway, R. Farmer.	
14th Dist.	Alex. W. Johnson, D. Lawyer.	
15th Dist.	W. E. Menden, R. Teacher.	
16th Dist.	W. P. Spangler, R. Teacher.	
17th Dist.	E. H. Trimble, D. Lawyer.	
18th Dist.	C. T. Cross, D. Lawyer.	
19th Dist.	Edwin Silver, D. Lawyer.	
20th Dist.	H. D. Quire, R. Physician.	
21st Dist.	Crawford L. H. Lewis, R. Blacksmith.	
22d Dist.	J. H. Shaw, R. Farmer.	
23d Dist.	John Phillips, R. Physician.	
24th Dist.	David W. R. Reed, R. Farmer.	
25th Dist.	Frank Moberly, R. Farmer.	
26th Dist.	W. R. Peck, D. Merchant.	
27th Dist.	Donald W. J. Fulton, R. Farmer.	
28th Dist.	Donald W. J. Fulton, R. Farmer.	
29th Dist.	Franklin R. Smith, R. Farmer.	
30th Dist.	Geor. DeLoach, R. Editor.	
31st Dist.	Albino Taylor, R. Merchant.	
32d Dist.	S. T. Barlow, D. Farmer.	
33d Dist.	J. T. Bryden, D. Lawyer.	
34th Dist.	W. M. Mooneyham, R. Lawyer.	
35th Dist.	C. R. Brown, R. Farmer.	
36th Dist.	J. R. Williamson, R. Lawyer.	
37th Dist.	Henry Geo. H. Hickey, D. Farmer.	
38th Dist.	John Whitaker, R. Teacher.	
39th Dist.	H. E. Allen, R. Merchant.	
40th Dist.	W. A. Woods, D. Farmer.	
41st Dist.	Howell F. Cook, R. Mining broker.	
42d Dist.	J. C. Horn, D. Farmer.	
43d Dist.	J. T. Bryden, D. Lawyer.	
44th Dist.	J. H. Richardson, R. Lawyer.	
45th Dist.	C. E. Moss, R. Lawyer.	
46th Dist.	M. E. Chace, D. Editor.	
47th Dist.	H. R. Wainwright, R. Insurance's.	
48th Dist.	J. J. Lyons, R. Lawyer.	
49th Dist.	A. C. Starnum, R. Teacher.	
50th Dist.	W. R. Elliott, R. Farmer.	
51st Dist.	James Beach, R. Miner.	
52d Dist.	H. Kleinhardt, R. Lawyer.	
53d Dist.	W. C. Cassidy, D. Editor.	
54th Dist.	S. B. Galloway, D. Merchant.	
55th Dist.	L. C. Detweiler, R. Farmer.	
56th Dist.	Lafayette Glover Branch, R. Farmer.	
57th Dist.	Lawrence C. E. Silverwood, R. Farmer.	
58th Dist.	John T. Muir, D. Teacher.	
59th Dist.	Lincoln M. L. Dawson, D. Farmer.	
60th Dist.	Edw. A. C. Pratt, R. Physician.	
61st Dist.	Livingston Richard Lee, R. Farmer.	
62d Dist.	McDonald J. M. Paul, D. Farmer.	
63d Dist.	Macdonald H. M. Rubey, D. Banker.	
64th Dist.	Madison J. M. Chittwood, R. Lawyer.	
65th Dist.	Marion F. E. Lettermann, D. Merchant.	
66th Dist.	Marion, F. H. Sorey, D. Editor.	
67th Dist.	Mercer M. H. Kaufman, R. Farmer.	
68th Dist.	Miller J. S. Casey, R. Merchant.	
69th Dist.	Mississippi W. G. Lee, D. Lawyer.	
70th Dist.	Montgomery A. H. Burkhardt, R. Merchant.	
71st Dist.	Montgomery A. H. Whitecote, D. Lawyer.	
72d Dist.	Montgomery A. H. Brunett, D. Lawyer.	
73d Dist.	Morgan R. A. Norbert, R. Merchant.	
74th Dist.	Now Madrid, G. W. Steel, D. Farmer.	
75th Dist.	Newton Geo. Hatfield, R. Farmer.	
76th Dist.	Nedaway J. H. Lemon, R. Farmer.	
77th Dist.	Oregon E. P. Dorris, D. Lawyer.	
78th Dist.	Osage A. A. Speer, R. Merchant.	
79th Dist.	Ozark J. R. Small, R. Teacher.	
80th Dist.	Pemberton A. L. Oliver, D. Lawyer.	
81st Dist.	Berry S. E. Kiefer, R. Contractor.	
82d Dist.	Pettie E. E. Johnston, D. Merchant.	
83d Dist.	Phelps W. J. Sals, D. Lawyer.	
84th Dist.	Pike J. O. Stark, D. Farmer.	
85th Dist.	Platte E. E. Humphrey, D. Banker.	
86th Dist.	Paul D. F. Brooks, R. Minister.	
87th Dist.	Paul D. F. Brooks, D. Lawyer.	
88th Dist.	Putnam C. A. Hays, R. Druggist.	
89th Dist.	Rails J. F. Barry, D. Farmer.	
90th Dist.	Randolph W. T. Heathman, D. Real est.	
91st Dist.	Ray W. W. Crowe, D. Farmer.	
92d Dist.	Reynolds T. D. Shriver, D. Editor.	
93d Dist.	Ripley J. M. Atkinson, D. Lawyer.	
94th Dist.	St. Charles R. D. Silver, R. Lawyer.	
95th Dist.	St. Clair A. Chambers, R. Farmer.	
96th Dist.	St. Francis C. F. Arnold, R. Laborer.	
97th Dist.	St. Genevieve R. S. Pratt, D. Farmer.	
98th Dist.	St. Louis county.	
1st Dist.	Wm. Hoeber, R. Mfr.	
2d Dist.	J. P. Osenbrotter, R. Dep. Sher.	
3d Dist.	R. L. Hains, D. Farmer.	
4th Dist.	Schuyler W. C. Biggs, D. Editor.	
5th Dist.	Seathland H. T. Witty, D. Real estate.	
6th Dist.	Scott T. P. Hinkle, R. Merchant.	
7th Dist.	Shelby C. W. Moore, R. Physician.	
8th Dist.	Shelby H. J. Simmons, D. Editor.	
9th Dist.	Stoddard K. C. Spence, D. Lawyer.	
10th Dist.	Stone T. L. Viles, R. Lawyer.	
11th Dist.	Sullivan P. J. Purdy, R. Stockman.	
12th Dist.	Texas C. N. Kinney, D. Farmer.	
13th Dist.	Vernon W. H. Prewitt, D. Farmer.	
14th Dist.	Warren Jas. Stewart, R. Physician.	
15th Dist.	Washington E. M. Dearing, D. Lawyer.	
16th Dist.	W. C. W. G	